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# The Bullet

"Ceasar & Cleopatra" MAY 9, 10, 11 **DuPont Little Theatre** 8:15 P. M.

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Pat Harmon, page, and Nancy Foley, Flower girl, watch as Joanne Insley, Maid of Honor, crowns Anne Lynwood Jones, May Queen. Lyn Bridges is the otherpage, and Connie Smith is the second Flower Girl.

## College Requests \$1,500,000 Grant

By the time the present Freshmen have become Seniors, Mary Washington's campus may have undergone quite a few changes. If the College's request for \$1,500,000 is approved by the governor and is included in the next state budget, four new buildings and an addition to the library will be under construction in the next two years.

The buildings include a science hall, a gymnasium, one dorm, and one of a pair of new freshmen dormitories. The addition to the library will be built behind the present building and will provide additional stack facilities.

Contract bids for the new science hall, which is planned for the lot opposite the reservoir, will go out in the near future. The College has already at its disposal \$725,000 for this new building. A new dorm will be erected east

A new dorm will be erected east of the reservoir opposite the proposed science building. Another new dorm, the first of a twin set, is planned for part of Framar's property on Sunken Road.

This long-range building plan is aimed at replacing off-campus dorms such as Cornell and Betty Levis are requiring to two the

dorms such as Cornell and Betty Lewis, and reducing to two the number of occupants in the present three-girl rooms. The new dorms, one of which will accommodate approximately 140 girls, will raise the total capacity of the college to 1,517 students. The College to 1,517 students. The College to 1,517 students. The College to 1,517 students.

college to 1,517 students. The College has saked the state for a total of \$386,000 to provide for these buildings.

The site for the new gym, for which \$700,000 was requested, has not yet been decided upon.

If all the proposed plans go through, the state of Virginia will finance 55 per cent of the cost of the new dormitorles and the College 45 per cent.

#### Goodrich, Bramson Take Top Bullet Positions Wohlnick, News Editor

The new editors of the Bullet have been selected by the Editorial Board of the Bullet. These editors are responsible for the last four issues of this year and those

of next year.

The new Assistant Editor is
Leigh Goodrich. She is a Psychology major from Wakefield,
Va. Leigh's activities include
Bullet news reporter and News
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## **Room Notice**

Room numbers will be drawn on the first days listed below for each class; rooms will be assign-ed on the second day. Juniors: Tuesday and Wednes-

Thursday and

Juniors: Tuesday and Wednesday, May 7 and 8
Sophomores: Thursday and
Friday, May 9 and 10
Freshmen: Monday and Tuesday, May 13 and 14.
No rooms will be assigned until a student makes application
for readmission (which was due
by May 1). Three people can
hold a suite.

## Town Observes Historic Festival

As many students have noticed, Fredericksburg has recently been decked out in flying colors. The banners, which are decorating our city, are in keeping with Fredericksburg's active participation in the Jamestown Festival which will

be held from May 4th-12th.
Artifacts, discovered in the old
town of Marlborough in 1956, are town of Mariborough in 1906, are on loan from the Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D. C., and may be seen about firteen miles from Fredericksburg free of charge. Also, starting Saturday, May 4th, Marmion, the old home of the Fitzhugh Lewis families, steeped in historical background, will be open from 11 a.m. to 5 The admission charge to the

will be open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The admission charge to the estate and tee is \$1.00.

On Sunday, May 5, there will be special services given at all Fredericksburg churches. At the Episcopal churches the service of the Reverend Thomas Hunt, who had the original service at Jamestown in 1607, will be used.

One of the most important events of the festival is the arrival on Monday of the Discovery, areplica of one of the three original ships which brought the colonists to Jamestown. The Discovery will remain here from Monday to Thursday, open daily from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. free of charge. It is located at the Old Steamboat Wharf at the foot of Sophia Street.

Wednesday, May 8, will be Mary Washington House Day, the hostesses of the home of the mother of our first president will be in costume, and episodes of the last farewell of George Washington to his mother will be enacted continuously from 10°a.m. until noon, and from 2-4 p.m. Adrisision of (Continued on Page 8)

## 'Ceasar&Cleopatra' Appear In DuPont

The final production for the cur-The snai production for the current season of the Mary Washington Players will be George Bernard Shaw's chassic, "Ceasar and Cleopatra", directed by Albert R. Klein and presented May 9, 10, and 11, at 8:30 p.m. in Dupont Little Theatre.

The leading role of Cleopatra will be played by Glenn Geddings, a freshman, and the part of Cea-sar will be played by Frank Hen-

Ftatateeta, chief nurse attendant to the queen will be portrayed by Mary Ann McDermott. The fol-lowing have the remaining feminine parts: slave girls—Pat Ellis, Sandy Quarles, Carolyn Tibbetts, Lo Ann Todd (dancer), Marilyn Windram and Blenda Erickson.

Other cast members include soldiers: Elizabeth Garland, Jane Sjostrom, Roberta Kay Beamer, Lou Miller; Porter-slaves: Joyce Panciera, Tempe Thomason; (Continued on Page 4)

## May Day Program Based on Historic Pageant Theme

Anne Lynwood Jones Crowned Queen Dance Program Entertains Court

On May 4 at three p.m. a fanfare will announce the May Festival to be held in the amphitheater in honor of the coronation of the 1957 elected May Queen, Miss Anne Lynwood Jones. This May Day celebration will be based on actual events which took place in Fredericksburg during the eighteenth century. The idea is so arranged to be in character with the city's week-long celebration of the Jamestown Festival, an observance by the Commonwealth of Virginia of the founding in 1607 of the first permanent English settlement in America.

Heralds Lead Processional On May 4 at three p.m. a fanfare will announce the May

## Southern SGA Elects Breeden 57-58 President

**Election Climaxed 42nd Convention** 

Ebie Breeden, MWC Student Government President, was elect-ed president of the Southern Inter-scholastic Association for Student Governments at the forty-second annual convention of the Associ-ation, held April 10-12, at Rock

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ERIE BREEDEN

## T. E. Crawley Directs Combined Glee Clubs in Oratorio on Friday, May 10

The Hampden-Sydney Alumni | torio "Elijah" in George Washing-Magazine has this to say: "The Mary Washington singers are particulary well known for the brilliance and richness of their tone. iance and richness of their tone."
Therefore, MWC students will be
interested to learn that the glee
clubs of Hampden-Sydney College
and Mary Washington College will
present Felix Mendelssohn's ora-



T. E. CRAWLEY

ton Auditorium Friday, May 10 at 8:00 p.m. This concert will be under the direction of T. E. Crawley, and will be presented as one of the features of Fredericks-burg's week-long observance of the Jamestown Festival. The orathe Jamestown Festival. The ora-torio was first performed at Bir-mingham, England under the com-poser's direction in 1846. The two choruses combined for Christ-mas performances of Handel's "Messiah" here and at Richmond's Grace Coven ant Presbyterian Church and are to present a re-peat performance of "Elijah" at Hampden-Sydney on the 11th. Four New York soloists who

Four New York soloists who have distinguished themselves as church, oratorio and concert singehurch, oratorio and concert singers and who have made repeated appearances with leading symphony orchestras, and choral societies of the country have been engaged for the two performances: Florence Manning, soprano; Robert Falk, base; Charles Bessler, tenor; and Edwin Eustis, contraito. Haylene Kyler is the professional accompanist and Ronald Davis the student assistant. The public is cordially invited to the Friday evening performance here.

Heralds Lead Processional

\* Heraids Lead Processional

The order of the processional
will be, following the Heraids: the
Ladles in Waiting to the Queen,
consisting of the six girls in the
Senior Court; the Maid of Honor;
the flower girls; Her Majesty, the
Queen; and the Queen's pages.
Bringing the processional to a
close will be the presentation of
the Ladles of the Court to the
Queen. These ladles are members
of the Freshman, Sophomore, and
Junior May Courts.
Peace Ball to Be Presented
After the Queen and her Court
are assembled and the Coronation
has taken place, entertainment

has taken place, entertainment will be presented in the manner following that of the Peace Ball, following that of the Peace Ball, an annual event which took place in historic Fredericksburg in the 1700's This portion of the program is under the direction of the Music, Dramatic, and Art Departments and the Concert Dance Club. Going under the theme, Preparations for the Peace Ball, Mrs. Lewis presents for Mrs. Washington's approval in Scene 1 the music and the dances to be performed during the Ball. The Virginia Reel, Harlequinade, a Gavotte, and a Minuet will be danced (Continued on Page 8)

## Riders Show Talent In '57 Horse Show

Along with the traditional crowning of the May Queen and gala dance which follows, May Day week-end will be highlighted by the annual Hoof Prints Club Spring Horse Show.

Spring Horse Show.

As the major event of the year for horses and riders at Oak Hill Stable, the show also assures an afternoon full of enjoyment for the spectators. Everyone taking riding this semester will participate in a Beginner, Intermediate or Advanced Equitation class, as well as Imming Horsemanship. or Advanced Equitation class, as well as Jumping Horsemanship, while many will be riding in the Working Hunter and exciting Knock-Down and-Out events. The Hoof Prints Alumnae Challenge Trophy will be . . . . for in two classes, Horsemanship and Modified Olympic Jumping, with the winner of the most points taking the honors.

Adding to the thrill of the com-petition are beautiful silver trophies, donated by alumnae, parents, and the merchants of Fredericks-burg, which are presented to the winner of each class. Winding up

winner of each class. Winding up the afternoon will be Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced Championship classes in which the winners of first and second place ribbons in each of the divisions will compete.

The date of the show is Sunday, May 5, the time, 1:30 p.m., and the place. Oak Hill Stable, which is approximately two miles south, on William Street. Tickets and reserved parking spaces by the ring are being sold now by Hoof Prints' members and also at the show.

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## PARENTS' WEEKEND

May Day weekend is traditionally that occasion when parents, friends, dates, and prospective students come to Mary Washington, and to practically every other campus in the country, to view the charming festivities which have been planned months in advance.

Their presence is, after all, the reason for the occasion Their presence is, after all, the reason for the occasion—without them it would be unnecessary. Why not, then, plan more activities around their presence? Particularly, it seems to us, parents are neglected during this weekend. Why not make them the special guests of the afternoon? Mary Washington is especially lovely at this time of year, and most parents never have a chance to see it; not only would a weekend planned around them make our present celebration more meaningful, it would also bring them closer to their daughters and make them more aware of our problems. (After a dining hall meal parents would feel more in sympathy with student complaints!)

Activities which could be planned around their present

Activities which could be planned around their pres-Activities which could be planned around their presence could include a Mother-Daughter Tea, or a Father-Daughter Banquet; smaller picnics or parties given by clubs or honoraries, or coffee hours sponsored by dorms where parents could meet their daughter's classmates.

Not only would this system make direct participation in May Day more enjoyable for the students involved, it would also involve the entire student body in it as a campus-wide activity.

## FREEDOM vs. RESPONSIBILITY

As rules change and more freedom is allowed on the campus, the responsibility of each student increases. After much thought and discussion by the administration and Student Council, the proposal for the privilege of wearing bermudas was presented to the student body, voted upon and accepted. Each MWC student is urged to accept the change as it stands now. True, we are not allowed to wear bermudas in certain places; yet if we push our rights to the limit, if we try to "put something over on the student council," if we try in every way possible to step over these bounds, we will be defeating the spirit of the rule change. And likewise, if we go around with shirttails flapping loosely, in dirty or wrinkled blouses or bermudas, or in threadbare dungarees, we are failing to live up to the faith which our school has in us. Only if each student takes upon herself the responsibility

Only if each student takes upon herself the responsibility for living up to the principles behind this new rule change can the way be prepared for further advances toward more freedom for the entire student body.—F.L.G.

## **Ford Foundation Increases Grant**

On March 28 the Ford Foundation announced a grant of 25 million dollars (five million for five years) to enlarge the Woodrow Wilson Scholarship program. Up to now the budget has been \$300,000, and has been confined to the 000, and has been contined to the social sciences and humanities. In the future there will be an increase from 302 awards annually to 1000 eventually, and an inclusion of the sciences in the awards, which will consist of \$1400 pius tuition to any graduate school

Letters to the Editor should be 500 words at a maximum, should be typewritten, doublespaced, and be sent to Box 1115 or given to the Editor before the deadline.

within the United States. A Board of Directors will be selected to administer the program and four regions, in charge of a regional co-ordinator will spread the informa-tion on it. Selection of candidates comes from the faculty at various





ELLEN HERTZ '57: (1) Yes, I do. The cut system as it stands now is too strict. A more liberal attitude on the part of the administration would produce a more adult attitude by the student body. If the responsibility were placed upon the student she would consider how many cuts she can afford rather than how many she is allowed. is allowed.

is allowed.

(2.) Yes, I do. The object of a liberal arts college is to prepare the student to think and judge for himself in later life. This preparation should not only be academic but also personal. If we are not ready this year as undergraduates for the responsibilities of answering our own needs, will we next year as graduates have the training and preparation which is the ing and preparation which is the

ing and preparation which is the objective of this college?

(3.) No, freshmen cuts should be limited to the number of class hours. Other students with failing or unsatisfactory grades should be put on academic probation. Their cuts should be limited. I believe that all upper classmen with "".C" "" "" or """ average should have unlimited cuts.

BOBBIE LANCASTER '58: If one were to take a student poll on this campus involving a larger number of class cuts, the outcome would probably be a unanimous vote for a change in the present system operates, students who maintain an "A" average are awarded four class cuts, students with "B" averages awarded three cuts, students maintaining a "C" average or lower, two and one cuts respectively. Certainly students who are capable of taking care of their scholastic and social life away from their homes are also capable of handling a few more class cuts. More emphasis seems to be placed upon the fact that the student must be present in the classroom BOBBIE LANCASTER '58: 16 More emphasis seems to be placed upon the fact that the student must be present in the classroom rather than the fact that she may be absorbing a relatively small part of the day's lecture. Let's of allowed class absences is def-

QUESTION: Do you feel that some change should be made in some change should be made in some of us would be better-off the present cut system? Do you believe that the Mary Washington our absences would be to the student body is ready for unlimited cuts? Do you think that cut ted cuts? Do you think that cut distribution should be made on the basis of grades?

ELLEN HERTZ '57: (1) Yes, I do. The cut system as it stands now is too strict. A more liberal Unner classmen have or should.

Upper classmen have or should have learned how many times they can afford to be absent from classes without endangering their academic standings. We would like to be able to use our own discretion about this metals and the standings. like to be able to use our own dis-cretion about this matter of class cuts as we do about the greater part of our campus life. The stu-dents of MWC have shown that they are quite capable of carrying-out effectively the much welcomed changes that have already gone into effect. Unlimited class cuts could be safely awarded to seniors who can maintain a "C" average. Juniors and Sophomore should definitely be given as many class cuts as they have class hours per week. Freshmen, I believe, should be oriented during their first se-mester and be given a reasonable mester and be given a reasonable number of cuts without allowing too many classes to be unattended. By the second semester they should be ready to begin an hours-cut basis.

should be ready to begin an hours-cut basis.

We wish to be given the opor-tunity to prove that we are cap-able of balancing our class cuts attendances using our own judg-ment. In several cases a letter grade has been lowered because a certain student has taken more than her share of class cuts and not because she has defaulted in her classwork. This hardly seems to doing her work well without having to attend every class period

riod. A system designed to allow the students of MWC a greater personal responsibility to her academic work would serve to make a definite distinction between the academic ability of the students and thus to raise the academic standing of MWC among our eastern colleres.



By NORMA SKINNER

We who live in the United States read and hear much about the threat of communism. Most of us, however, myself included, do not fear this evil with great intensity. I have come to the conclusion that we do not fully realize the menace that we face.

Russia has done much to advo-cate the arts. She subsidizes her artists as well as her scientists. Just such an artist is Dimitri Shostakovitch. Born in St. Pet-ersburg, he studied under some of the greatest of Russian teachers. In the past few years, his music has gradually become known to America. He has been alternate-

has gradually become known to America. He has been alternate-ly condemned and praised in Russia. Several times, he has' been faced with political attacks upon his music. But there is nothing "capitalistic" about his oratorio "Song of the Forests."

If music was ever the symbol of a concrete idea, this music is. The spirit of the people behind the Russian government is in this glorious song of how nature can help man. Shostakovitch wrote, "My desire was to create a lyrical song of the forest in which the powerful voice of man subduing and transforming his natural environment, sings higher than any other voice."

The oratorio is in seven parts. It was written to celebrate the

The oratorio is in seven parts. It was written to celebrate the planting of forests from the Volga to the Bug Rivers. It begins with a bass solo, which to me always symbolizes strength, entitled "The war is ended". This tells of joy and hope that was felt at the end of the war. The second part is and hope that was felt at the end of the war. The second part is "Let us array the fatherland with forests", telling of the plan to restore the forests. In the third section, "Reflections of the past", Shostakovitch uses a well known Russian folksong, "The Birch Tree". The strong, limber birch tree is a symbol of the Russian

tree is a symbol of the Russian people.

In the fourth section, "Pioneers plant the forest", a chorus of children is brought forth. This is like a little formless warning, to me. The communists indoctrinate and enlist the aid of the children as well as adults. This part of the music is joyous, dance-like and a little frightening, because of the high pitch of hope, which comes from people we prefer to think of in gray tones.

The fifth part is "The men of Stalingrad" to which no one could listen without feeling the power that must belong to a government, which could sway an artist to create this forceful song.

The "Promenade in the forests of the future is the sixth section, telling of the wonder of the new forests.

forests.

The seventh section and finale is "Glory". All of the soloists, the mixed chorus and the children's chorus sing their homage to their country. It ends with "Slava Narodn" (Glory to the people). The listener feels that the man who wrote it must be sincere.

I can not delude myself by thinking that everyone in Russia is a disparing slave some ruser.

is a disparing slave—some must believe in the communist theory of government or it would have fallen long ago. It is this we should fear—misguided ideals and

should fear—misguided ideals and twisted aims, not communism.

"What a man believes, he lives with quietly.
They build no church upon the daily rising of the sun, who howl not with terror while the dragon eats the sun."

Edna St. Vincent Millay

L think our warning is here. Wo

I think our warning is here. We need to spread the how and why of democratic living in order to be a "dragon" that "eats the sun".

initely too rigid, and should be expanded to meet the needs of the

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## **MWC Accepts 648** For Fall Session

students and nine hundred old ones have been accepted at Mary Wash-ington for the 1957-58 session, as of April 1. Out of the 648 new stuact April 1. Out of the 648 new students, 14 of whom are transfers, there are 346 Virginians. Twenty-five per cent of those accepted are from the North, while seventeen per cent hail from other Southern states. Acceptances have also been sent to students residing in Oklahoma, Michigan, Illinois, New Mexico, Kansas, and California. Three students have been accepted from Hawaii, one from Brazil, and one from Peru. Nine students in the Fredericksburs area have rethe Fredericksburg area have re-ceived acceptances.

This year for the first time, out

of state students have been urged to take College Board entrance examinations. Eighty-nine per cent (approximately) of the non-Virginians who have been accepted have taken these examinations. Next year these examinations.

## Audio-Visual Class Aids In City's Historic Activities

Historic Activities

The new class in Audio - visual education has been asked to assist Fredericksburg in their celebration of the Jamestown Festival next week. They will be in charge of manning the projectors at St. George's Parish House, where a film on Historic Fredericksburg will be shown at 30 minute intervals from May 6-10. Dr. Russell Ratcliffe announced that the girls were giving up most of their free time next week to participate in this project. Students are Jean Lee Anderson, Mary Patricia Fulcher, Julia Lindsay, Barbara Stanton, Ruth Taylor, and Shirley Wine.

will be required of all out-of-state students. Virginians who have been accepted have taken the American Council of Education ex-amination in their high schools.



## William Faulkner Addresses **MWC Faculty and Students**

By Judith Townsend

William Faulkner, Nobel prize winner, novelist, and present writer-in-residence at the University of Virginia spoke to a small group of students and faculty members in the Library Browsing Room on April 25. Mr. Faulkner, a short, grey-haired Southerner, first read a short story "Shingles for the Lord" from his collected works and then answered questions from interested spectators.

Among the questions which Mr. Faulkner also as long as they resisted the "Madison Avenue" pressure. Another topic which the renowned writer discussed was the situation of facing the young writer today. He said that the single problem which was most important to the young artist was to assert his bidividualism, to struggle against the pressure of the mass mind and against conformity. He said later that the theme which all writers, both present and future, must use

is "The human heart in conflict with itself." In other words, the novelist writes of the intimate emo-tional responses of people, not of social problems.

tional responses of people, not ossocial problems.

In response to another question from the audience, Mr. Faulkner described himself as a "failed poet." He said that many of his novels, such as "The Sound and the Fury, started out to be short stories and grew into their present length because there was so much to be said. The Town, Mr. Paulkner's newest work, which was published May 1, is another example of this "stretching out" of theme. It follows The Hamlet, which was published in 1938, as a which was published in 1938, as a continuation of the story of the Snopes clan.

The library display of his works The library display of his works should lead any interested student to a further perusal of Mr. Faulkner's novels and short stories. Among the best are The Sound and the Fury, As I Lay Dying, Light in August. Absalom!, The Hamlet, Go Down Moses, and

Faulkner Speaks in Browsing Room



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## Dr. Keith Takes **History Position**

Dr. Warren G. Keith, the present Director of Admissions at Mary Washington College, is resigning this position to take a full time position as a professor in the history department. When Dr. Keith first came here in August of 1945, he taught in the hisdepartment for three years, tory department for three years, then in 1948 he became Director of Admissions. Dr. Keith receiv-ed his B.A. from the University of Richmond, his M.A. from the University of Virginia, and his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins Uni-versity. For seventeen years he was head of the history depart-ment of Winthrop College in South Carolina. South Carolina.

In 1946, Dr. Keith brought the Grand National Forensic Tourna-ment to Mary Washington Col-This tournament has met here every year since then

For the session of 1956-57 Dr. Keith plans to teach American History, European History, His-tory of Civilization, and Current

Replacing Dr. Keith as Director of Admission will be Mr. Michael Houston, a native of Norfolk and a graduate of Thomas Jefferson High in Richmond.

## Betsy S. Jones Chosen **Apple Blossom Princess**

Another of Apple Blossom prin-

## Mascot Answers Critic's Letter

Seacobeck Neighborhood Mary Washington College

Any Room Any Dormitory Mary Washington College Dear Skinny:

I just finished reading the last article you wrote for the Bullet.
It surprised me very much that
you should complain of those "delicious" spare-ribs which you so frequently get at Seacobeck D. H. I love them, even though my "false teeth" don't help much—(I guess I have a calcium deficiency.) I have trouble chewing the bones and the meat (well, you know, there is never much of that.)

But, I don't really think it is as bed as you netured it in your left. licious" spare-ribs which you

But, I don't really think it is as bad as you pictured it in your letter. Remember it can always be worse! I don't mean to say you are a chronic complainer, and I don't mean to be one either, but there is something I want to tell you which might make you feel better. After all, you don't have to live a dop's life. live a dog's life.

So to get started let me tell you—last week I succeeded in sneaking inside Seacobeck with hardly any trouble. That tall man who is always pushing me out was not around so I decided to spend the whole day there. You know, no place like Seacobeck when you don't have any other choice!

It was quite early when I got there, so I hid under one of the tables. About fifteen minutes later I saw a bunch of girls coming in. Another of Apple Blossom princesses for Queen Shenandoah's Court at the Festival at Winchester, Virginia, has been announced The Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival was held May 2-3.

Betsy Schaeffer Jones, at 21-year-old senior from Mary Washington College was one of the princesses. Betsy is from 'The Oaks,' Bea-verdam, Va. She will be in the Court of Queen Anne Denise Doughty-Tichhorne, of Hampshire, England. Betsy attended St. Catharine's School in Richmond and was a member of the May Court during her Freshman and Sophomore years. She is a Psych Major.

Now, Skinny, I don't mean to living a dog's life, and I think that

complain (after all, the food was free), but confidentially—that was the hardest toast I ever ate in my the hardest toast I ever ate in my whole life. I could feel my false teeth shaking! The bacon was all right (for my teeth, I mean. . .) It was cold, soggy, and greasy, but I was so hungry I didn't mind it sliding down my throat. Then the girls left, I found myself another hiding place. This time I hid behind some curtains and work to hind some curtains and went to

I woke up when some delightful aroma began to reach my nostrils.

To me it smelled like a combination of chicken, tukey, and horsemeat. My salivary glands were set in action. I could hardly wait for the girls to come in. I knew their coming always means food (when-ever I happen to be around!)

By 1:00 p.m. I heard them c

ing. By golly, I was so excited! I felt like running to meet them.
Well, the same scent I witnessed during breakfast again took place. It seemed to me everybody was on a starvation diet. The girls would not even tatste the food. . . . ! Again I approached them, and

Again 1 approached them, and again they were delighted to see me. Gee, they surely did feed me. The food didn't look like chicken or turkey; it looked more like horse meat than anything else, but I att it anyway. I stuffed myself like a balloon! When they finally left (they told me they had to go to class) I returned to my hiding place. I was feeling just fine when it suddenly started—I could feel my stomach churning and heaving, my mouth was dry and I felt dizzy. I began to perspire and got so uneasy. I couldn't wait for the next 'meal.'

So. Skinny, I left Seacobeck for good. Yes, I mean it, I am not going there anymore. You know the standard of the production of "Ceasar and Cleopatra" (Continued from Page 1) ton: George Blaine; Britannus: Ben Hammond, Lucius Septimus: Craip Farsons; Sentinel: Walter Bishop; Theodotus: Carrol Quental Craip Fars



Mary Ann McDermott, Frank Hen-bel and Glenn Geddings rehearse a scene from the forthcoming Play-er's production of "Ceasar and Cleopatra."

Crewheads for the production are as follows: Assistant to the Director: Suzanne O'Brien; Stage manager: Gwen Beebe; Lighting: Jo Dubin; Scenery: Carolyn Tibbetts; Publicity: Jeannine Raymond; Props: Martha Huffman; Costumes: Roberta Keay Beamer;

any turns of life can either be for the worst or the better—so let's keep.our fingers crossed!

Your unfortunate friend,
—Ceasar.

## '58 Summer Session AnnouncesCourses; Teachers Programs

The Summer Session at Mary The Summer Session at Mary Washington College of the Uni-versity of Virginia will be held from June 17 to August 9 with classes offered from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Mondays through Fri-days.

Special five-week courses for teachers interested in certificate renewal are to start June 17. These courses are "Early American renewal are to start June 17. These courses are "Early A merican Lafe," a study of significant aspects of our heritage and ways the school may incorporate pertinent historical influences in its instructional program, and "Literary Appreciation," a consideration of the works of Virginia writers. Opportunities will be provided for teachers to follow their personal interests in such literature and to incorporate them in school programs. Facilities for student teaching in the elementary grades grams. Facilities for student teaching in the elementary grades and in a number of high school subjects are available during the summer session, also.

summer session, also.

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wide variety of academic and professional courses is designed to
cover a full session's work both
for students entering in advance
of the academic year, beginning in
September, and for those who wish
to accelerate their college requirements for graduation or to
make up work lost on account of
illness or other reasons

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The following courses are offered: art; biology; chemistry; dramatic arts and speech; education; English; French; health, physical education, and recreation; history; mathematics; music; philosophy; psychology; sociology; and Spanish.

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## **New Psych Course** Improves Reading

A new program designed to improve student reading comprehension which was under the direction of Dr. John T. Fauls of the psychology department, was instituted during the first eight weeks of this semester. The course was caused at small the semester of the course was caused at small the semester. this semester. The course was aimed at making students active readers and changing their psychological set. A series of tests which were given at the beginning and end of the course show significant progress.

At the beat

At the beginning the norm was 177 words per minute, with comprehension at 50%. The lowest recorded score was 122 words per minute, the highest, 240. By the end of the course the norm had risen to 383, the lowest score was 241, and the highest was 601.
Approximately 45 students, who

Approximately 45 students, who represented every class, participated in this experimental class. Attendance was not compulsory. The instructor sought different ways of approaching the psychological set of the reader through visual aids and other means. This was the direct time this appearance. was the first time this program has been administered to a group, for in past it has been confined



to individuals. The program proved so successful that it will be given again next year.

## Freshman Class Traveled Incognito For Final Benefit of Class Year

The first Benefit of the Class of 60 is finished. Freshmen are now free to wear sunglasses and trench coats without being accused of traveling "Incognito."

We can now fondly recall all the "blood, sweat, toll, and tears" that went 'into our production—those Saturday nights when the script committee was locked in 325 Willard, writing feverishly to the tune of a cat 'o nine tails: the terp papers written during rehearsals between Paris and Africa; those lovely blue slips that greeted us in the p.o. after mid-semesters; the many grey hairs that popped up mysteriously on dressrehearsal night when five singers showed up with laryngitis.

Monroe's stage (which, we understand, was pretty messed up by the Freshman Benefit last year) took a thorough scrubbing from

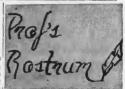
By Rose Bennett

It's all over but the shouting. The crumbled remains of the did everybody on the front row. scenery have been junked, the last cake crumbs and popsicle sticks will never drink from another from the party have been pried from the floor, and most of the "matives" have finally scrubbed off their brown grease-paint. The first Benefit of the Class of "60 is finished. Freshmen are now free to wear sunglasses and trench coats without being accused of traveling "Incognito."

We can happy to report that the "Two Lost Souls" have finally found their way off the is ers now know their cue. But has anybody seen Miss Jones? Her flower is beginning to look like Jack's beanstalk. Jack's beanstalk.

Miss Droste ("Yes, we are rath-Miss Droste ("Yes, we are rather proud of our P.E. Department") almost got scratched from Saturday night's performance—she was allergic to that wool tank suit. We hear that the dining hall is now over-flowing with bread baskets, but will all those obliging souls who bought programs from the "Little Flingers of Paris" please return them—we were just kidding! And here's a cheerful kidding! And here's a cheerful note—Edna Weiss has just come through with the news — she's changing her major to drama.

BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS



By Miss Margery E. Arnold

Miss Margery E. Arnold was graduated with a Bache-lor of Science degree from Russell Sage College. She earned her Master of Arts de-gree from Columbia Univer-sity.

#### COMPETITION

A great deal is being written and said these days about the su-perior student. Here at Mary Washington College, for example, we have a faculty committee callwe have a faculty committee call-ed "Committee on Programs for Superior Students." Other cam-puses and faculties are equally concerned with providing special opportunities for these students. The April 15th issue of Time Magazine devotes several paragraphs in its Education section to pro-grams for superior students on various college campuses. These programs indicate the educational world is realizing that the potentially superior students should receive as much of the teacher's attention as the student of average ability. In college especially, the superior students needs some motivation to excel, some chance to prove their mettle, some chance to improve. Without this opportunity they are not likely to perform above the level of the average student. grams indicate the educational dent.

A glance at the title of this arder how such a subject relates to the problem. We have many stuthe problem. We have many stu-dents at Mary Washisgton who are superior in their motor skills as well as in their mental skills. We have a number of good tennis players. What are we doing for them? Are they included in our program for superior students? We all know that to improve a skill such as tennis, we must pit ourselves against some better player. We shall never improve in any game without competition, be any game without competition, be it a game of bridge or

### Evils of Competition?

Before I suggest competition as a means of improving the skills of these superior students let me explode some old ideas about the evils of competition, particularly inter-campus competition: commercialization, exploitation, top heavy baseketball seasons, unhealinter-campus competition: commercialization, exploitation, top heavy baseketball seasons, unhealthy rivalry between schools, sophomoric school spirit. There may be more. Maybe these evils are prevalent on the high school level, in SOME schools. They certainly are not on the college level. On the other hand, competition if intelligently directed by mature educators need have none of these so called evils. Another often heard criticism of competition is that it cannot be "friendly." These critics think of all competition, especially inter-school, as the "win or die," "blood and thunder" type. This is sheer nonsense. We all know that competition can be keen — very keen—and at the same time friendly. We also know that there is no point in playing a game such as tennis, golf or bridge with opponents, unless you wish to win. Otherwise why play each other? Why not just pour and bat balls against a backboard, swim sixty laps of the pool, or shuffle the cards for an hour or so. You will get some exercise, fresh air and sunshine, and expend some energy. Is that all you want after becoming fairly well skilled in an activity? No, of course not. You want someone to compete with, many someone to compete with, many ing fairly well skilled in an activity? No, of course not. You want someone to compete with, many different people, not just your classmates, but others in a sister institution down the road!

Intermurals Suggested

Let us look at the plus side of

the ledger. What are some of the benefits we could derive from com-(Continued on Page 8)



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## CLUB NEWS

Home Ec Club Home Ec Club
Mary Washington Home Economics majors played hostesses to
homemaking students from Mt.
Vernon High School last Saturday,
Jacqueline McClung gave a demonstration of draping and patternmaking. The girls then toured
our Home Economics department
and were served refreshments.

#### Mu Phi News

Mu Phi News
Mu Phi Epsilon, national professional music soroity at MWC,
will sponsor a program of American music in DuPont Theatre on
Tuesday, May 14, at 8:15 p.m. A
feature of the evening will be a
performance of Gershwin's "Three
Preludes" by Walter H. Bishop, an
instructor in the French department. This honorary will also ment. This honorary will also present vocal, instrumental, and organ selections.

#### Science Club

The Science Club and Chi Beta Phi made a tour of the American Visco Company on April 30. Mary Washington's science fac-ulty will attend a meeting of the Virginia Academy of Science, to be held at Old Point Comfort from May 9 to 11.

The science clubs are also glad announce that they will again er two scholarships of \$200 th. The scholarships which are each. benefits from the science clubs' auction, will be awarded to two girls of the administration's choice.

Chi Beta Phi officers for 1957-58 will be Alice Mason, president, Libby Foster, vice-president, Joan Ivanoff, secretary-terasurer, and Joan Johnson, historian.

## Piano Recitals Scheduled

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At DuPont Theatre
Levin Houston, III, assistant
professor of piano at MWC, has
scheduled six atudent recitals in
Du Pont Theatre this month. OnSunday, May 12, Geraldine Osborne will be presented at 2:00
p.m., and Eunice Eubanis at 7:00
p.m. other scheduled concerts, all
of which will be at 7:00 p.m., are
Carole Moter on May 14, Bette
McCotter, Jane Ferguson, Anne
Kessler, and Shelby Miller on May
15, Betty Oliver, Joyce Moore, and
Gail Duncan on May 17 and on

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## Jamestown Festival Center of Activity

The celebration of the James-town festival which will run from April 1 until November is a state-wide project, which encompasses many of the facets of the actual founding of the first permanent English settlement in North America. The students and fac-uity of Mary Washington will help celebrate the 350th anniversary of the Jamestown founding in many ways.

ways.

The College has sponsored two trips to the festival; one on April 25 which was accompanied by Mrs. Laura. Sumner, the other on April 29, chaperoned by Mrs. Reierson. These groups visited the festival center at Jamestown, where they saw the old and new world pavilions which have been jointly established by the United Kingdom and the state of Virginia, toured Jamestown Island, where

Kingdom and the state of Virginia, toured Jamestown Island, where they saw a new center and the ruins of the old colony; and rode through Williamsburg.

Miss Moran, who is in charge of all such college trips, said another trip may materialize if there is sufficient interest among the students.

May 23, Suzanne Doran, Elsie Jo McNeeley, and Marilla Mattox.

## Facts on the Faculty

dent officers were installed there.
The subject of her talk was
"Where Power Dwells". Mrs. G.
C. Simpson accompanied Dean

Hargrove.

On April 26 and 27, Dr. Mary
Ellen Stephenson attended the
meeting of the state convention of
the American Association of University Women. Dr. Stephenson is
the president of the Fredericks
burg branch of the A.A.U.W. which
is an organization of graduates burg branch of the A.A.U.W. which is an organization of graduates with especially fine academic standards. The students graduating from MWC have had the privilege of belonging to the A.A.U.W. for five years.

Dr. Clyde Carter, assistant professor of sociology at Mary Washington College, attended the meetings of the Virginia Association of class and learned.

On April 28 and 29, Dr. Simpson attended Winthrop College in
Rock Hill, South Carolina for a
meeting of a group of Presidents
of state colleges for women.

Prior to the Easter vacation
Dr. and Mrs. Simpson went to New
York and New Haven to have
interviews with prospective faculty
members in New York and Yale.
Dr. Margaret Hargrove, Dean of
Students at MWC, spoke to the
students at MWC, spoke to the
student body of Mary Baldwin College on May 1 when the new student officers were installed there.

Mrs. J. Brawner Bolling, head
of the French department at
the Rock Hill, South Carbet of Virginia where he
in a Southern Community". The
Southern Sociological 3 o ciety
which met in Atlanta in April apDr. Michael Epdelyl attended the
28th annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association in
New York City April 12 and 13.

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of the French department at

Mrs. J. Brawner Bolling, head of the French department at MWC, attended the Northeast Conference on Teaching of For-eign Languages in Boston, Mass., April 12 and 13. Dr. J. H. Craushore attended the

Lobster, Lobster, my mistake

## Musical Programs Scheduled for May

As a part of the May Day festivities, and the Spring season in general, several musical programs are being presented at the Mary Washington campus.

The Lehigh University Glee Club will be here tonight (May 3rd) for a concert in George Washington Hall. The glee club consist of 38 members under the direction of Mr. Robert Cutler. Their program will consist of classical and semillers. Mr. Robert Cutter. Their program will consist of classical and semi-classical numbers with featured soloists. This will be the first concert for the Lehigh Glee Club at MWC. The concert which will be presented at 8:00 tonight will complete Lehigh's spring tour. The Marine Band will give a concert in George Washington Auditorium on Monday, May 6th at 8:00 p.m. This program will be sponsored by the Red Cross Committee on campus.

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mittee on campus.

On Sunday, April 28, the Washington and Lee University Glee
Club presented a musical program
of both sacred and secular selections. The Mary Washington Glee
Club also presented a section of
the program.

Club also presented the program.
On Saturday the 27th, the "Highty Tigerty" Regimental Band from Virginia Polytechnic Institute presented a concert in George Washington Hall.





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words must have the same number of words must have the same number of syllables. Send your Sticklers, with your name, address, college, and class, to Happy-Joe-Lucky, Box 67A, Mount Vernon, N. Y. And send 'em soon!

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By Grace Hutchinson

hearty congratulations are due to all members of the Terrapin Club for the superb water show they put on at the beginning of April. Such talent! All comments heard near us were quite complimentary, and to Miss Arnold, Marcia, and all who worked vigorously on the show — your efforts were not in vain. The "Best of Broadway" vas a success!

was a success!

Hey gang! C'mon! It's softball time and, unfortunately, a
plea for support must be made.
The practices are on Tuesday and
Thursday at 4:15 p.m. Don't you
all like the joily game? It's a
good way to get in shape for that
important event coming up. Let's

gol!

Just for the books . . . Did you know that there are pool tables in Ann Carter Lee? Did you know that there are also tables for table tennis there? Did you know that the hours for Recreational Swim are: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday: 4:00 p.m. through 5:00 p.m.; Tuesday and Thuraday: 4:40 p.m. through 5:30 p.m.? These hours are posted on the R.A. bulletin board in Lee. Did you know that there is a shuffle board deck in Lee? Come see for board deck in Lee? Come see for

The day is dawning-Devil-Goat Day is to be held on May 16th this year. This is just a reminder for all of you Devils and Goats to

get in shape for a day full of fun.

Also . . . Don't forget the Horse
Show sponsored by Hoof Prints
Club on May 5th. It is to be at
Oak Hill Stable and will begin at

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> I'd like to say that R. A. I'd like to say that R. A. mem-bers are always willing to help you in any way they can. Remember that each one of you is a member, but if any questions arise — ask the council!

> Until the next issue — keep in mind any important events com ing up. See you there!

## **RA News**

The results of a table tennis tournament held on April 30 in the tournament held on April 30 in the Recreation Room of Ann Carter Lee were: the winner, Ellaine Downing of Mason Dormitory and the runner-up, Betty Jameson of Virginia Dormitory. A round-robin badminton tournament was held Thursday night at 7:00 in the Monroe Gymnasium. The results of this tournament will be publishof this tournament will be published in the next issue. Everyone is
welcome to participate in the tournaments; they are loads of funreally—so ya'll come on and sign
up for them. Also, be sure to
watch the Buflet for the schedule
of tournaments for next year.

The Archery Field is open be-tween 4:00 and 5:45 every after-noon, Monday through Friday. If anyone is interested in shooting archery, she is welcome to come down to the field.

down to the field.

Softball season at Mary Washington seems to have come and gone for most girls here. Practice has been held every pretty Tuesday and Thursday afternoon at 4:15 but attendance has been very poor. We will continue to have a practice next Tuesday but if the attendance doesn't improve, softball will have to be called off or this year. In order to play in the Student-Faculty game on Devit-Goat Day, a girl must have come to practice.

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## **MWC Dance Group Makes April Tour**

The Concert and Apprentice Dance Group of Mary Washing-ton College toured with its com-plete company to Alexandria and Ashland, Virginia in April.

Ashland, Virginia in April.

In Alexandria they danced for the Alexandria Education Association in Frances Hammond High School on April 10th. They were warmly received by both the high school personnel and by the Education Association. After the concert a lovely dinner was enjoyed by all the dancers.

The second half of the tour took.

by all the dancers.

The second half of the tour took them to Ashland, Virginia, where they performed for the Latterary Women's Club in the Randolph Macon College Auditorium. This trip was equally enjoyable. At both places the dance group was warmly received and highly praised for their performance.

All the choreography for this concert was done by the choreography class under the direction of Mrs. Charles L. Read. The mem-

Mrs. Charles L. Read. The members included Jo Dubin, Bonnie McCracken, Mary Lou Scott, Pattie Mae Simmons, and Lo And Todd.

The program that was presented was almost identical to the one which the group gave in DuPont Little Theatre on March 28, 29 Little





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DONNA PETHICK

Donna Pethick, last year's winner of the Hoof Prints Alumnae Chal-lenge Trophy, poses with the beau-tiful silver bowl. This trophy will be in competition again this year, at the Spring Show on May 5th.

## RA Questionaire Reveals Results

aire Tabulation

Questionnaire Tabulation
Do you remember those "awful
old questionnaires" you filled out
for the Recreation Association?
Well, they have been checked and
tallied. The R. A. greatly appreciates the cooperation of the student body in filling them out.

The following is the percentage tabulation of the answers received from the survey:

Do you think the Devil-Goat Tradition serves a purpose?
Yes: 80% No: 20%
Do you think it should be

tinued?

Yes: 81% No: 19% Did you participate in a sport this year?

Yes: 18% No: 82%
Would you be interested in weekend activities?

Yes: 65% No: 35% Would you be interested in coed activities?

Yes: 93.1% No: 6.9% Do you think the Recreation As ciation reaches you? Yes: 45% No: 55%

sociation reacnes your
Yes: 45% No: 55%
Do you feel the Recreation Association's publicity is effective?
Yes: 56% No: 44%
Do you think dorm representatives would be more effective than class representatives?
Yes: 88% No: 12%

No: 12% Yes: 88%

## Terrapin Club Tryout

Hey water lovers, how about joining us at the pool in Ann Carter Lee!! Spring tryouts for TER-RAPIN CLUB will be held on Wednesday, May 8th at 7 o'clock. Anyone interested is urged to participate the best for the control of the con pate is this tryout. See you there—please be prompt.

Devil Goat Day READ - NOTE - REMEMBER DEVIL-GOAT DAY THURSDAY, MAY 16th

Early in April, the riders early in April, the rivers were comed Mr. Clayton Bailey, of Sweet Briar College, to Mary Washington as instructor for our riding clinic. Mr. Bailey had many suggestions for schooling our horses, such as using caval-letti and low multiple in-and-out letti and low multiple in-and-out jumps to improve the horses for-ward impulse. In addition to working with the problems of the horses, Mr. Bailey also gave les-sons on horsemanship and spent sons on horsemanship and spent an entire afternoon criticizing and helping us improve our jumping positions. Everyone enjoyed the breakfast and luncheon which were held at the stable, as well as the classes themselves, and we're all hoping that Mr. Bailey will be able to visit us again next year.

On Saturday, April 13, Babs White and Ozzi Mask traveled to Madeira School to see the Virginia Intercollegiate Horse Show, and enjoyed watching the competition between several well-known

The night of Saturday, April 27 was a time of buzzing activity at the stable. The cause was the sudden and unfortunate demise of sudden and unfortunate demise of Nellie, who was found hanging from the rafters of the barn. Nel-lle, by the way, was the lower half of an ancient mannequin which has long resided at the stable. However, she can look very much alive (or dead) in the dark.

The next day was the Washington Bridle Trails Association
Horse Show in Rock Creek Park,
which several Mary Washington Horse Show in Rock Creek Park, which several Mary Washington girls attended. Evie McCarty rode her handsome chestnut hunter, Mackabees, who arrived at Mary Washington only this week. Mac did very well for himself indeed, winning a second, third, and fourth in Working Hunter classes. Patty Morgan also brought home a ribbon won on Hesitation in the Riding Academy Hacks class, while Kitten James won a second and third on her filly. Blue Jeans. Jackie Bragg took first place in Riding Academy Hacks with Ja-mada and tied for the championmada and tied for the champion-ship in this division with Kitten. After tossing for it, Jackie won the championship, with Kitten re-serve, but both riders very kindly donated the trophy to the club-room at Oak Hill. Other horses and riders representing MWC were Nancy Schultz on Clifton's Lad, and Donne Bethick on Michigan Nancy Schultz on Cinton's Lau, and Donna Pethick on Michigan Mischief, while those who "Spectated" were Betty Wisecarver, Phyl Nash, Babs White, Sally Neal, Binnie Corson, Sandy Sooy, and Donna Cornell.

Don't forget that Sunday, May Don't forget that Sunday, May 5, is the big day—the Spring Horse Show. Come prepared for lots of fun, excitement, and a good sun tan (we hope.) The show begins at 1:30, and tickets are only 60c.

## Magazine Names Its **Fashion Favorites**

Betty Jameson, a Mary Wash-ington freshman, has been chosen a runner-up in the Glamour maga-zine contest for the 'best dressed girl on carapus." She was chosen by a committee of ten faculty members, three publication edito-rs, and and five student body rep-resentatives. The chairman of the Then Right on Rt. 16 Fresentatives. The chairman of the board was Betty Sydnor, former Bullet editor.

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#### McDermott Receives Two Year Fellowship

Mary Ann McDermott of Arling ton, a senior majoring in dramatic arts and speech at MWC, has been arts and speech at MWC, has been selected for training at the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art in London for a two-year course starting next October. She is one of the ten chosen from 34 American and Canadian applicants. Among the judges were Helen Hayes, Leonora Dana, Raymond Massey and Leo Carroll. Kathryn Rosmarynowka of Greenbush, a 1955 graduate, received the same honor two years ago.

ago.

Last year she played the lead in "Romeo and Juliet" and she will soon appear at Fiatateeta in George Bernard Shaw's "Ceasar and Cleopatra." She has been on the Dean's List for seven semesters, Dean's List for seven semesters, and is a member of the May Court, Art Club, and Cap and Gown. She was named to "Who's Who Among Students at American Universities and Colleges" last fall.

## Goodrich, Bramson (Continued from Page 1)

Editor; YWCA Cabinet, Associations Chairman and Project Com

ations Chairman and Project Committee Chairman and Project Committee Chairman and Project Committee Chairman; Psychology Club, reporter—and Psi Chi, vice-president. Leigh was a member of the MWC Choir last year.
Charlotte Wohlnick, known as "Charlie," is the new News Editor. Charlie is a Freshman and a Psychology major from Belleville, New Jersey. She is a member of her dorm basketball and bowling teams. She has her own radio program, "Thinking Themes", and is a member of the MWC Glee Club, and Wesley Foundation. The Assistant News Editor is Patricia Allison from Warrenton, Va.

The Make-up Editor is Bernice

Allison from Warrenton, Va.

The Make-up Editor is Bernice
Bramson, an English Major, from
Johannesburg, South Africa. Bennie is a member of Sigmā Tau Delta and is the new president of the
honorary fraternity. She is publicity chairman of Newman Club
and a member of Phi Sigma Iota
and Hoofprints. Her assistant and Hoofprints. Her assistant will be Mildred Cole from Wythe-ville, Va. assistant

Handling the circulation of the Bullet will be Terry Coons, a Handling the circulation of the Bullet will be Terry Coons, a freshman French major who will live in Brent next year. The circulation manager is a member of Canterbury and will hold the office of Corresponding secretary next year. Terry is a member of Hoof Prints and very interested in secrets. She is from Alexandria. sports. She is from Alexandria,

Va.

Acting Copy Editor is Laurs
Meade Baker of Columbia, South
Carolina. She is chairman of "Y" Carolina. She is chairman of "Y" Entertainment Committee and d was assistant director of "Y" Benefit last fall. She is a member of MWC Players and was in the Sophomore Benefit. Laura is an English major. Her assistant is Joanne Meehan of Woodsboro,

Acting Feature Editor is Bette Hamilton, an English major, from Richmond, Va. The Sports Editor is Grace Hutchinson of Summerville, S. C. and is also an English major. The Assistant Sports editor is Patricia Morgan of Canton. North Carolina.

## **Town Observes**

\$.50 will be charged. Also, seven homes and shrines will be open on a block ticket sale, some of which have not been open for quite a while. Tickets are obtainable at the Historic Fredericksburg In-formation Center at \$2.00 each.

Probably the biggest parade in this area will begin at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 11, and will include marching units from some dis-tance. All of the floats will de-pict some historical event or are pict some historical event or subject which will be related to Fred-ericksburg or the surrounding area. Mary Washington will have a float which represents George Washington's first day at school in Falmouth, Virginia. Ten girls will be on the Mary Washington

### **May Day Presents**

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and the college orchestra will play La Folia, by Corelli. Scene 2 shows the final plans for the Ball. Mrs. Washington and Mrs. Lewis, having decided on the events to be included, invite the assembled company to tea in Mrs. Washington's parlour. included,

#### End of Festivitles

Immediately following the Recessional a reception will be held in the "Golden Horseshoe" for the faculty, students, and their guests. Completing the May Festival will Completing the May Festival Will be the formal Coronation Ball in the Gothic Room, Ann Carter Lee Hall from nine to twelve o'clock in the evening with the Mary Washington College Dance Band

Attendants to the Queen
Members of the May Court include: Anne Lynwood Jones, Queen; Mary Joanne Insley, Maid of Honor; Mary Victoria Majure, Meredith Puller, Margaret Lee Meredith Puller, Margaret Lee Preston, Mary Ann McDermott, Mary Eugenia Crogham, and Nancy Lee Holmes, Senior Court; Patricia Ann Yearout, Nancy Gladys Lunsford, Mary Elizabeth Hendrickson, Barbara Elizabeth Ramoser, Sandra Stewart Shees-ley, and Elizabeth Dalton Foster, Lunior Court, Lean Books Hust ley, and Elizabeth Dalton Foster, Junior Court; Joan Brooke Hunt, Damaris Ritchey Middaugh, Joan Weed Whittemore, Diana Domenica Hudiakoff, Cynthia Amanda Martin, and Jane L. Howard, Sophomore Court; Judith Montgomery Saunders, Elizabeth Rose Jameson, Jane Lee Fransen, Judith Ann Fransen, Jennie Lee Lehmann, and Beverly Irene Mershon, Freshman Court; Peggy Conway Smith and Nancy T. Foley, flower girls; Betty Lynn Bridges and Patricia A. Harmon, Pages; and Virginia June Beach and Betty Marie Wisecarver are the Heralds.
Cast of Characters and Dances

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in Preparations for the Peace Ball
are: Betty Sue Addington, Jane
Gresham, LoAnn Todd, Patricia
Ellis, Jeannine Raymond, Harriet
Ayers, Mary Lou Fietcher Scott,
Pattle Mae Simmons, Priscilla
Brown, Sally Steinmetz, Joanne
Bortz, Mary Hundley, and Diane
Delamare.

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The College Orchestra is made up of the following musicians: Karin Broemmer, Elinor Gaskins, Roberta Jean Kantro, and Carmen McKinney, violina; Eleanor Petroe, viola; Arda McKinney, Jean Rogera Phipard, and Marcia Spence, violincello; Marilla Mattox, contrabass; Adrienne Selch, harp; Betty Oliver, harpiscord; Mona Allen and Sue May, flutes; Charlotte King, obec; Jean Lee Anderson and Elizabeth McKinney, clarinets; Nancy Lee Seward, bass clarinet; Dennis Moriarity, bassoon; Jane Denslow and Laura Ann Hopkins, horns; Madeline Lankford, trumpet; and Suzanne Doran, trombone.

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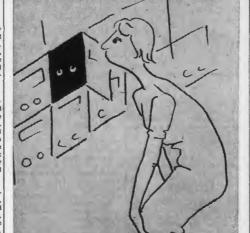
Miss Katherine F. Moran is chairman of the May Featival with Miss Marguerite Carder, Miss Midred Cates, Mr. Albert Duke, Mr. Ronald W. Faulkner, Mrs. John P. Harris, Jr., Mr. Albert Klein, Miss Ruth Leonard, Miss Mary Jo Parrish, and Mrs. Charles Read on her committee. Acting as an ex-officio member is Miss Margaret Hargrove.

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### Southern SGA

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Eagle State 4-H Club Center, near Eatonton, Georgia. Ebie and Ruth McCulloch, Honor Council Chair-man, represented MWC at the conventi

vention.

Ebie's election as president climaxed the three day convention,
at which over 100 delegates, representing 32 southern colleges,
were in attendance. Another Virginian, Barbara Bloodgood, of were in attendance. Another ginian, Barbara Bloodgood, of Westhampton College, was elected secretary. Other officers were Kay Williams, vice-president, Texas State College for Women, and Marie Leroy, treasurer, Uni-versity of Georgia.

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The SIASG, an organization of southern women's colleges and women's divisions of universities, including Agnes Scott, Florida State University, Auburn, the University of Georgia, etc., has as its purpose to encoure and promote government by students; to foster an intelligent interest in the phases of college, national and world citizenship; and to act as a clearing ground for the mutual benefit of all members of the Association.

Next year's convention , at which Ebie will preside, will be held at Converse College, Spartan-burg, South Carolina.

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Friday - Saturday—May 10-11 "Tension at Table Rock" chard Egan, Dorothy Malo Cameron Mitchell Added: News and Cartoon

#### Prof's Rostrum (Continued from Page 5)

contained from rage of petition with other schools: first, a chance for the student who is superior in motor skills to improve, gain recognition, have more "fun"—much more fun—than she could have with just her class mates. Second, social intercourse; there is so much to be gained from visiting other institutions and having their students visit us, even if only for a few sets of tennis, rounds of golf or for a hockey match: At of golf or for a hockey match: At all such matches between schools in Virginia there is the inevitable tea or banquet, which provides an tea or banquet, which provides an opportunity for social interchange and fellowship. Isn't it a valuable educational experience to learn to play with many different people, as well as to work with them? Sports, like music, provide an excellent meeting ground for developing friendships and understandings and for the exchange of ideas between people, colleges, towns, states and nations. Why not have a hockey game with Westhampton, some tennis matches with William and Mary or a round of golf liam and Mary or a round of golf liam and Mary or a round of golf with Hollins

#### Views from the Hill

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I am in favor of the cuts being based on grades. I feel a more liberal plan in which the incoming freshmen would have two cuts per class allotted her would be satis-factory. This would enable the freshman to find herself, and to freshman to find herself, and to know just what capabilities she possesses. Second semester fresh-men, sophomores, and juniors making the Dean's List could have twice the number of cuts that the class meets per week. A student in a class meeting three times a week would have six cuts that se-

tester if she is on the Dean's List.
For the student with a "C" averge, one cut could be allowed for age, one cut could be allowed for each meeting per week. I would continue the practice of giving one cut in each subject regardless. This would apply to the person with an average below a "C", and also would be given to those with good grades. Thus, the person who is on the Dean's List, with a class meeting three times a week. class meeting three times a we would have six cuts, plus one additional cut.

For seniors on the Dean's List. For seniors on the Dean's List, I would suggest giving unlimited cuts. This brings me to the question of unlimited cuts for everyone. To me, Mary Washington College is as ready for unlimited cuts as any college and I think most students would not abuse the privilege. privilege.

Still, I believe the students consider our discipline a part of ma-turing, and this includes accepting mitations imposed on us.

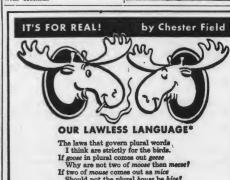
If a student works hard, she should reap the benefits of her labor. That is why I believe seniors on the Dean's List should have the privilege of unilmited cuts. If one has not matured enough to accept responsibilities by her senior year, she will scarcely be able to accept them in life.

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